BAPAUME DOOMED

Germans Still Retreating on Wide Front in France.

Deserting Stronghold They Called "Another Gibraltar."

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)

British Headquarters in France, March 13.—via London March 14.— The ridge overlooking Bapaume from the northwest which has come to be ked upon by the British as a sort promised land ever since the battle the Somme began last July, passed to the hands of General Haig's ops today. For the first time since great struggle on this front opened British have the advantage of the best ground and can now look the struggle of the best ground and can now look. nest ground and can now look in upon the famous German nighold and a wide extent of the

British officers believe that they British officers believe that they are now in a position to take Bapaume whenever the word is given. Grevillers was captured last night and the new British lines stretch alogic the ridge which runs northwest from that point to the outskirts of Achiet Le Petit, a point still strongly held by the Germans. In this latest forward movesion of the noted Loupart wood, consisting of great clumps of trees on the shoulder of the high ridge and overlooking the entire Somme battle front. This wood has masked a great number of German batteries and from it hostile shells have rained upon the British forces for months, past. Its capture has been the source of the highest satisfaction to the British staff as it was one of the most formidable artillery posts the Germans had established in the western theatre.

Real Civilization Again.

The country about Loupart wood and beyond is in good shape. As a matter of fact Civilization the Tommies said they have seen in many moons.

What this means to men who have fought so long in the mud of the Somme valley can be grasped only by those who have lived amid the hideous scenes of destruction. The fideous scenes of destruction. The Germans have always hitherto had the advantage of the high ground and the villages, possession of which has been so bitterly contested, have been nothing but pulverized ruins which offered no shelter for the soldiers. Where fires are not burning the country back of the German line looks green and wonderfully invit-

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KIDS WRITE TO ADMIRAL WHEN'LL DADDY COME HOME

London, March 14.—There are other sides to Sir John Jellicoe, first lord of the admiralty, besides his fighting side.
"I have had many touching letters from wives and little children," he said the other day. "The little ones ask, When will you let Daddy come home?"

"I have answered a great many of them myself and have had to say in each case. "It is impossible."

in each case: 'It is impossible. The country needs daddies and hus-bands, and so long as the country needs them we must set the needs them we must asl, the wives and children to let them off."

March 11, our troops withdrew and took up a new position between Bag-dad and Samara."

Samara is on the Tigris, about 7 northwest of Bagdad

HOLD'2 TOPEKA BOYS

Atchison Authorities Arrest Them or Charge of Robbing a Widow.

Two Topeka boys, Albert Dibble, 16 years of age, and Victor Barber, the same age, are under arrest in Atchi-son, charged with burglary, according

matter of fact Grevillers was the first touch of real civilization the Tommies said they have seen in many moons.

"Why," said one stalwart Australian today, "do you know there are regular houses in Grevillers with real silverware and 100 pennies. Police was the property of them in their room at the What this means to men who have located them in their room at the

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hampagne and Hill 185. The French aptured new entreachments. Dr. Culbertson, father of W. S. Culbertson, father of W. S. Culbertson, died at Christ's hospital in Topeka four years ago. DO YOU KNOW THAT WE SELL Make \$800,000 Oil Lease Sale. Oklahoma City. Ok., March 14.—An oil sale involving \$800,000 has just been made between the Fortuna Oil company and New York capitalists. A. P. Crockett, local attorney and president of the Fortuna, engineered the sale, which involved farm leases near Yale, Ok. This is the second big purchase of leases by the easterners from the Fortuna company.

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by aviators at the instruction post the detachment that patrols the
coast Near San Diego, California,
are shown lined up on the ground of grounds day and night, is seen on
he has established the country's bigthe aviation field. America's bigguard.

FRED GREEN NAMED

Columbus Man Appointed Mine In-

spector to Succeed Pellegrino.

territory complained to Governor Capper. It was also charged that in-spection work in the district had not been up to the standard. Pellegrino was called on the carpet and notified

Names U. S. District Attorneys,

Washington, March 14.—William D. Kyser of Memphis, was nominated by President Wilson today as United States attorney for the western district of Tennessee. Wilmot M. Odell of Cleburne, was nominated as United States attorney for the porther districts attorney for the porther districts attorney for the porther dis-

States attorney for the northern dis-trict of Texas.

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Fred Green, of Columbus, has been

IRIS-The happy return of Blanche Sweet to the Iris screen in "The

ORPHEUM-Return engagement of

Douglas Fairbanks in his most popular screen comedy, "The Americano," not to mention Doro-thy Gish in "Stage Struck."

NOVELTY-Five acts of vaudeville and "Pearl of the Army" picture serial.

COZY-Ethel Clayton in "Broken For details, prices, etc., see advertisement on page 5 of the State Journal,

Evil Eve.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS

San Diego. A seven-foot barbed wire fence, charged with electricity, now surrounds the plant. In the

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CLOSE 30,000 SALOONS

Brewers Ask It in Order to Curtail
Use of Liquor in England
London, March 14.—Thirty thousand saloons in Great Britian will be closed during the next few months, according to the Mail. The measure is proposed as a solution of the difficulty arising from the compulsory restriction of the beer output and the part of the shipping board "to meet the special needs which the new situation into our commerce has forced."

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O Clear cliff Christ Episcopal church has accepted an invitation and will deliver short talks at local picture shows on Sunday afternoons. Reverend Heaton recently preached a sermon championing "innocent Sunday amusements," including moving pictures. He has not decided what character of sermons the people who attend Sunday picture shows will care to hear, but promises they will not be

"dry." doctrinal or long.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Capper's Farm Congress Will

Meet Here Tomorrow.

Discuss Plans to Encourage

More Crops and Gardens.

Farmers who work at it and others who give instruction or possess theories, will come to Governor Capper's farm congress at the state house ories, will come to Governor Capper's farm congress at the state house of food stuffs by raising larger crops and more garden truck. Back yard gardens will be discussed by the men who attend the meeting and ideas will be advanced for promotion of intensified farming in the state.

W. J. Burtis, former member of the legislature from Wilson county and a well known farmer, will preside at the state house state agricultural college will offer suggestions concerning the best method of reducing the high cost of living. A number of bankers and business men have promised to attend the meeting.

J. C. Mohler, secretary of the state

Chicago, March 14.—WHEAT—Much difference of opinion developed in the when the deloday as the logical effect of the state stanking larged that the event would tend to stake lower prices, but buils argued that chances it lower prices, but buils argued that chances it lower prices, but buils argued that chances it lower prices, but buils argued that chances and that such a contended that the event would tend to lower prices, but buils argued that chances and that such a contended that the event would tend to a strike. Owing largely to the wild division of a declaration of war with German on the part of the United States had been declared to went the contended that the event would tend to a strike. Owing largely to the wide division of a declaration of war with May at \$1.514 to \$1.514 Chicago, March 14.-WHEAT-Much dif-

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WILSON MESSAGE

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Chicago, March 14. speak. Letters received by Governor Capper indicate that a number of practical farmers as well as college heads and business men will attend Open High Low Today .. 5814 585814 5814 56%-1458-.. 56% 5614 5514-555614-May . 18.70 18.72 18.55 18.70 18.80 July . 18.70 18.70 18.57 18.67 18.80 RIBS ..17.20 17.30 17.65 17.12 17.37 ..17.35 17.35 17.17 17.20 17.47

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Chicago March 14.—WiHEAT—Close: May, \$1.705,61.77; July, \$1.523,61.523; September, \$1.41.

CORN—May, \$1.005,61.07; July, \$1.053,61.06; September, \$1.41.

CORN—May, \$1.005,61.07; July, \$1.053,62.

PORK—May, \$05,6505,62; July, \$31.40.

LARD—May, \$12.10; July, \$31.40.

LARD—May, \$17.12; July, \$17.20,617.23.

Grain Gossip. (Furnished by Empire Commission 201 New Lagland Bidge)

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13 BURIED ALIVE

Bodies of 8 Recovered in Virginia

Mins; No Hope for Other 5.

Cannonsburg. Va. March 14.

Three rescue seuads of six men each including engineers from the United States and including engineers from the United States bureau of mines at Pittsburg. Continued the search early today thrushed by the depth solocked passage of Henderson Coal company, near here, in an attempt to recover the bodies of five missing miners believed to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to missing miners believed to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to the to recover the bodies of five missing miners believed to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to the to recover the bodies of five missing miners believed to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to the total points of the properties are proposed to the properties are proposed to the properties of the properties of flour, 172,000 bushels of the light and company of the legislation may have to be substituted. The bedieved to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to have been entombed when the mine was wrecked to be threshold to the properties at the properties. It is to enact this properties of the properties at the properties of the properties at the properties. It is to enact this properties of the properties and the ferror and the properties of the properties. It is to enact this properties of the properties. It is to enact this properties of the properties of

Kansas City Live Stock Market.
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10. 10c higher. Prime fed steers, \$11.500 fil.00; dressed beef steers, \$9.25g11.35; western steers, \$8.50g11.50; southern steers, \$7.50g10.50; cows, \$5.50g10.00; helfers, \$7.25g10.50; bulls, \$7.00g12.50; cates, \$7.00 g11.00. SHEEP—Receipts \$.000. Market steady, lambs, \$12.00g13.65; yearlings, \$13.00g 13.65; wethers, \$11.50g12.50; ewes, \$10.50g 12.25; stockers and feeders, \$7.00g14.00.

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Chicago Live Stock Market.

Chicago, March 14.—HOGS.—Receipts 35.—
000. Market slow. Bulk of sales, \$14.59\tilde{0}\$
14.75; light, \$14.00\tilde{0}\$14.65; mixed, \$14.25\tilde{0}\$
14.80; heavy, \$14.25\tilde{0}\$14.50; rough, \$14.35\tilde{0}\$
14.40; pigs, \$11.00\tilde{0}\$13.30.

CATTLE—Receipts 12.000. Market firm.
Native beef cattle, \$3.55\tilde{0}\$12.55; stockers and feeders, \$6.5\tilde{0}\$90,75; cows and helfers, \$5.75\tilde{0}\$10.75; caives, \$5.75\tilde{0}\$10.00. Market weak.

Wethers, \$10.00\tilde{0}\$12.55; lambs, \$12.25\tilde{0}\$14.70. Chicago Live Stock Market

TOPERA MARKET REPORT

Cattle and Hogs Critics and Hogs
(Prices furnished by Wolff Packing Co.)
Topeka, Kan., March 14.
MIXED AND BUTCHERS \$12.00@14.40
HEAVY 12.00@14.40
LIGHT 11.00@14.45
PIGS 7.00@ 20.00 (Positively cannot use sheep or lambs unless fat.)

Topeks, Kan., March 14.

HENS-314 bs. and over, 17c; under 314 bs., 14c; springs, over 2 bs., 17c; ancks, 10c; geese, Sc; brotlers, 2 bs., and under, 15c; oil mosters, 9c; staggy young rousiers, 11c;

Ergs are retailing in Topeks 25c to 30c doses.

WHEAT—\$1.75@1.80.
CORN—\$1.05.
OATS—\$55@60e.

Topeka Hay Market. Furnished by T. A. Beck 212-214 E. 6th. PRAIRIE HAY—\$9,00. Kan., March 14, ALFALFA—\$17.00.

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